

CONFIDENTIAL

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28 February 1958

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**MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. Robert E. Cushman, Jr.**  
**Executive Assistant to the**  
**Vice President**

The interested elements of the Agency have considered the proposal raised in your confidential memorandum dated 24 February 1958, and have coordinated informally with the Department of State.

Attached herewith is a draft statement covering our thoughts on the matter, and which you may wish to incorporate in your reply.

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**Executive Officer**

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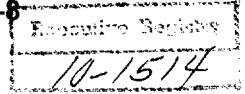
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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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SUBJECT:

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REFERENCE:

Confidential memorandum from  
Mr. R. E. Cushman, Jr., dated  
24 Feb. 1958, same subject as  
above

1. Attached herewith is a proposed reply to the above  
referenced memorandum, and a draft statement for Mr.  
Cushman's use in replying to his correspondent.

2. The draft statement has been informally coordinated  
with the Department of State.

[Redacted Signature]

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Desmond FitzGerald  
Chief

Psychological and Paramilitary Staff

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<b>Remarks:</b>			
<p>Dez; Would you have someone draft an appropriate reply I might send to Bob Chshman. I would like to get this back to him by Friday, 28 Feb., if at all possible.</p>			
<p><i>Ben Hand</i> [Signature] [Redacted] P-791</p>			
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